

HOUSE BILL 2988

By Dunn

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,
relative to transportation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-198(c), is amended by deleting subdivision (2) and by substituting instead the following language:

(2) Effective July 1, 2010, a state agency or political subdivision of the state that installs, owns, operates, or maintains a surveillance camera located outside an intersection for the enforcement or monitoring of traffic violations shall ensure that appropriate signage is located not less than five hundred feet (500') but not more than one thousand feet (1,000') in advance of such surveillance camera informing drivers as to the presence of surveillance cameras at the designated location.

(3) If the state agency or political division of the state violates the provisions of this subsection, then any traffic citation based solely on evidence generated by the surveillance camera shall be deemed to be invalid.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.